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Sir:

Appellants submit herewith the Appeal Brief in triplicate for the above-identified
patent application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 16-2500
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